

**LEMON GROVE CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY**

Item No. 1.E
Mtg. Date September 19, 2017
Dept. Public Works

Item Title: **Reject sole bid for Traffic Signal Maintenance, Emergency Repairs, and Related Construction Services**

Staff Contact: Stephanie Boyce, Management Analyst

Recommendation:

Adopt a resolution (**Attachment A**) rejecting the sole bid for the Traffic Signal Maintenance, Emergency Repairs and Related Construction Services, Invitation 009-18.

Item Summary:

On July 13, 2017, the City of El Cajon, acting as the multi-city procurement lead for the Cities of El Cajon, La Mesa, Lemon Grove and Santee, advertised the Traffic Signal Maintenance, Emergency Repairs and Related Construction Services project. One bid was received on August 10, 2017 from Siemens Industry, Inc. (Siemens).

Siemens did not include Bid Page 73, which provides a listing of the unit item prices for multiple sections of work. This item is required for evaluation purposes, as referenced in the bid specifications: "...In case of discrepancy between the unit price and total set forth for a unit basis item, the unit price shall prevail..." and is required per the Check List included in the specifications to comprise a complete bid.

As stated in the bid specifications, contractors shall have a current Class C-10 – Electrical Contractor license issued by the Contractors State License Board of the State of California. Siemens does not possess a C-10 license and its bid did not list any subcontractor possessing the specific license. For the reasons set forth above, Siemens is non-responsive to the bid specifications.

Staff recommends the City Council adopts a resolution (**Attachment A**) rejecting the bid for the Traffic Signal Maintenance, Emergency Repairs and Related Construction Services, Invitation 009-18. Staff will continue to work cooperatively with the City of El Cajon as it plans to rebid the bid project as soon as possible.

Fiscal Impact:

Sufficient funds are allocated in the TransNet Budget for Fiscal Year 2017-2018.

Environmental Review:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not subject to review | <input type="checkbox"/> Negative Declaration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Categorical Exemption, Section 15304 | <input type="checkbox"/> Mitigated Negative Declaration |

Public Information:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None | <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter article | <input type="checkbox"/> Notice to property owners within 300 ft. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Notice published in local newspaper | <input type="checkbox"/> Neighborhood meeting | |

Attachments:

A. Resolution

Attachment A

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-_____

RESOLUTION OF THE LEMON GROVE CITY COUNCIL REJECTING THE BID FOR THE TRAFFIC SIGNAL, EMERGENCY REPAIRS, AND RELATED CONSTRUCTION SERVICES

WHEREAS, the City of Lemon Grove's current for traffic signal maintenance services expires on December 31, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the City of El Cajon, acting as the multi-city procurement lead, advertised the Traffic Signal Maintenance, Emergency Repairs and Related Construction Services project for bid on July 13, 2017; and

WHEREAS, one (1) bid was received and publicly opened on August 10, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the sole bidder, Siemens industry, Inc. (Siemens), did not include Bid Page 73, required by the Check List to be included in the specifications to comprise a complete bid, which provides a list of the unit item prices for multiple sections of work, and is necessary for evaluation purposes as it is necessary to determine bid prices in the event of discrepancies in the bid; and

WHEREAS, the bid specifications also requires contractors to have a current Class C-10 – Electrical Contractor license issued by the Contractors State License Board of the State of California. Siemens does not possess a C-10 license and its bid did not list any subcontractor possessing the specific license; and

WHEREAS, for the reasons set forth above, Siemens was deemed non-responsive to the bid specification; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it in the public interest that the sole bid be rejected and re-bid the project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Lemon Grove, California hereby:

1. Rejects the sole bid received for the Traffic Signal Maintenance, Emergency Repairs and Related Construction Services, Invitation 009-18 received on August 10, 2017
2. Authorizes the City of El Cajon, acting as the multi-city procurement lead, to re-bid the project.

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